

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2003-116-T – ORDER NO. 2007-406
JUNE 14, 2007

IN RE: Application of First Choice Ambulance, Inc.,) ORDER APPROVING
 191 East Loop Road, Lake City, South) AMENDMENT TO
 Carolina 29560 (District 6) for a Class C) CERTIFICATE
 Non-Emergency Certificate of Public)
 Convenience and Necessity.)

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) by way of the request of First Choice Ambulance, Inc. (First Choice or the Applicant) filed May 16, 2007, whereby the Applicant seeks approval of an amendment to Class C Non-Emergency Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7349. First Choice requests approval of a change in the passenger restriction appearing on such Certificate.

A review of the docket file reveals that Certificate No. 7349 was issued to First Choice pursuant to Commission Order No. 2003-247, dated April 17, 2003. Currently, First Choice's authority to provide passenger service (Certificate No. 7349) reads as:

...to furnish passenger service...as follows:

Between Points and Places in South Carolina
Restricted To: Seven (7) Passengers.

First Choice requests to increase the passenger restriction from seven to fifteen passengers.

Based upon a review of the matters asserted in the present request, the Commission is of the opinion that the relief sought by the Applicant should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the relief sought in the request for modification of Class C Non-Emergency Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7349 of First Choice Ambulance, Inc. by changing the passenger restriction thereon from seven (7) passengers to fifteen (15) passengers be, and hereby is, approved.

2. That said approval is for a change in the passenger restriction appearing on the Certificate but does not authorize any change in the service area of operation of the regulated services.

3. An amended Certificate shall be issued by the Office of Regulatory Staff to the Applicant as provided herein.

4. That prior to compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements and the receipt of such amended Certificate, the modified motor carrier services authorized by such Certificate may not be provided under the amendment approved herein.

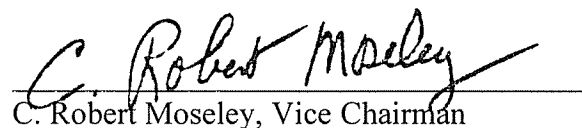
5. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Chairman

ATTEST:



C. Robert Moseley, Vice Chairman

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